

SECTION 2B. For the purpose of making available for expenditure certain balances of bond issue authorizations which would otherwise revert on June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and fifty-seven, and, notwithstanding the provisions of section fourteen of chapter twenty-nine of the General Laws, the unexpended balances of the bond issues shown below are hereby made available for expenditure until June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and fifty-eight.

Chapter 685 of the Acts of 1950.

Chapter 599 of the Acts of 1951.

Chapter 757 of the Acts of 1951.

Chapter 771 of the Acts of 1951.

Chapter 556 of the Acts of 1952.

Chapter 682 of the Acts of 1955 as amended by Chapter 574 of the Acts of 1956.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

*Approved May 28, 1957.*

*Chap.403* AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF RANDOLPH TO PAY A PENSION TO ALEXANDER WHITECROSS, A HIGHWAY EMPLOYEE OF SAID TOWN.

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

SECTION 1. For the purpose of promoting the public good, the town of Randolph is hereby authorized to pay a pension of two thousand dollars per annum to Alexander Whitecross, a highway employee of said town, upon his retirement.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

*Approved May 29, 1957.*

*Chap.404* AN ACT AUTHORIZING DISTRICTS TO APPROPRIATE MONEY FOR A STABILIZATION FUND, AND INCREASING THE AMOUNT WHICH CITIES AND TOWNS MAY APPROPRIATE FOR SUCH FUNDS ESTABLISHED THEREIN.

*Whereas*, The deferred operation of this act would tend to defeat its purpose, which is to authorize districts to appropriate money for the establishment of a stabilization fund, and to increase the amount which cities and towns may appropriate for such funds established therein, therefore it is hereby declared to be an emergency law, necessary for the immediate preservation of the public convenience.

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

SECTION 1. Section 5B of chapter 40 of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out the first paragraph, as appearing in chapter 124 of the acts of 1945, and inserting in place thereof the following paragraph: — For the purpose of creating a stabilization fund cities, towns and districts may appropriate in any year an amount not exceeding ten per cent of the amount raised in the preceding year by taxation of real estate and tangible personal property or such larger amount as may be approved by the Emergency

Finance Board established under section one of chapter forty-nine of the acts of nineteen hundred and thirty-three. The aggregate amount in the fund at any time shall not exceed ten per cent of the assessed valuation of real estate and tangible personal property therein in the preceding year. Any interest shall be added to and become a part of the fund.

SECTION 2. Said section 5B of said chapter 40 is hereby further amended by striking out the third paragraph, as so appearing, and inserting in place thereof the following paragraph:—

The stabilization fund may be appropriated, in a town at an annual town meeting by a two thirds vote, in a district at an annual district meeting by a two thirds vote, and in a city by a two thirds vote of the city council, for any purpose for which the town, district or city would be authorized to borrow money under section seven or eight of chapter forty-four or for such other municipal purpose as is approved by said Emergency Finance Board. Said board, in addition to the powers and duties otherwise conferred or imposed upon it, is authorized to perform the further duties imposed by this section.

*Approved May 29, 1957.*

AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF RANDOLPH TO PAY A PENSION TO ROBERT CUTTING, THE PRESENT TAX COLLECTOR OF SAID TOWN. Chap.405

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

SECTION 1. For the purpose of promoting the public good, and in consideration of his long and efficient service as tax collector in the town of Randolph, said town is hereby authorized to pay a pension of two thousand dollars per annum to Robert Cutting, the present tax collector of said town, upon his retirement.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

*Approved May 29, 1957.*

AN ACT EXTENDING THE POWERS OF COUNCILS FOR THE AGING APPOINTED BY CITIES OR TOWNS. Chap.406

*Whereas*, The deferred operation of this act would tend to defeat its purpose, which is to enable councils for the aging to co-ordinate forthwith programs to meet the problems of the aging, therefore it is hereby declared to be an emergency law, necessary for the immediate preservation of the public convenience.

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

SECTION 1. Section 8B of chapter 40 of the General Laws, inserted by section 1 of chapter 495 of the acts of 1956, is hereby amended by inserting after the word "of", in line 2, the words:— co-ordinating or, — so as to read as follows:—  
*Section 8B.* A city by ordinance or a town by by-law may establish a council for the aging for the purpose of co-ordinat-